



STATE OF CALIFORNIA

**DATE:** December 19, 2005

**TO:** Interested Parties

**FROM:** Braulio Montesino, Senior Counsel – Office of Legal Services

**Re:** Standing Referral to HIV/AIDS Specialists Regulation

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The California Department of Managed Health Care (Department) has scheduled a meeting at which public input will be sought regarding whether there is a need to revise the Department's regulation relating to Standing Referral to HIV/AIDS Specialists (Section 1300.67.60 of Title 28 of the California Code Regulations).

The meeting is scheduled to take place on Tuesday, January 24, 2006 at the following location:

US Bank Plaza Building  
Room of Excellence, 5th Floor  
980 "9th" Street  
Sacramento, CA 95814

The Department encourages the public and interested stakeholders to file written comments focusing on (1) any documented problems that have arisen in the implementation of the existing regulation, or (2) any revisions that may have been made necessary due to changes in circumstances that have occurred since the January 16, 2003 effective date of the regulation. Written comments may be mailed to the Department, Attention: Braulio Montesino, Senior Counsel – Office of Legal Services, Department of Managed Health Care, 320 W. 4th St., Suite 880, Los Angeles, California 90013; faxed to (213) 576-7186; or e-mailed to [bmontesino@dmhc.ca.gov](mailto:bmontesino@dmhc.ca.gov). Persons filing written comments with the Department on or before January 17, 2006 will be given priority to speak during the hearing.

As noted in the included agenda, the meeting will begin at 10 a.m. To allow time for all members of the public to speak, comments will be limited to the subject of the hearing and may be limited to no more than ten (10) minutes in length.

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